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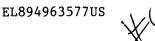
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- Declarations of Charles E. Reddick and Roy Edward Glascoe, Jr. (2)
- Assignments by Charles E. Reddick and Roy Edward Glascoe, Jr. (3)
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (4)
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- Substitute Drawing Sheets for Figs. 1, 2A, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 11, having the (7)appropriate margins in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.

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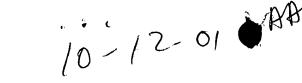
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